

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re: Gottschalks, Inc.

Case No. 09-10157 (KJC)
Reporting Period: February 28, 2010 - April 3, 2010

MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT
File with Court and submit copy to United States Trustee within 20 days after end of month.

Submit copy of report to any official committee appointed in the case.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS	Form No.	Document Attached	Available Upon Request	Affidavit/Supplement Attached
Schedule of Cash Receipts and Disbursements	MOR-1	X		
Bank Reconciliation (or copies of debtor's bank reconciliations)	MOR-1a		X	
Schedule of Professional Fees Paid	MOR-1b	X		
Listing of bank account numbers and balances		X		
Cash disbursements journals		X		
Statement of Operations	MOR-2	X		
Balance Sheet	MOR-3	X		
Status of Postpetition Taxes	MOR-4	X		
Copies of IRS Form 6123 or payment receipt		N/A		
Copies of tax returns filed during reporting period		N/A		
Summary of Accounts Payables	MOR-4	X		
Accounts Receivable Aging		N/A		
Debtor Questionnaire	MOR-5	X		

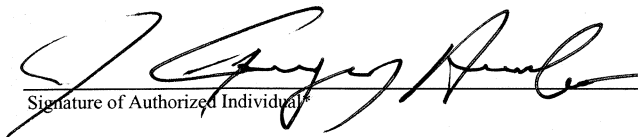
I declare under penalty of perjury (28 U.S.C. Section 1746) that this report and the attached documents are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.


Signature of Debtor

4/20/10
Date

Signature of Joint Debtor

Date


Signature of Authorized Individual

4/20/10
Date

J. Gregory Ambro
Printed Name of Authorized Individual

Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer
Title of Authorized Individual

*Authorized individual must be an officer, director or shareholder if debtor is a corporation; a partner if debtor is a partnership; a manager or member if debtor is a limited liability company.

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SCHEDULE OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS [1]

	BANK ACCOUNTS						CURRENT MONTH		FILING TO DATE
	GEN OPER.	STORE WORKING FUNDS	UTILITY DEP.	SALES TAX	PROF. FEES RESERVE	ALASKA	ACTUAL	PROJECTED [2]	ACTUAL
CASH (LOAN BALANCE) BEGINNING OF MONTH	\$ 11,034	\$ -	\$ 281	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 11,315	\$ 8,376	\$ (68,811)
RECEIPTS									
CASH SALES		-					-	-	83,387
CREDIT CARD RECEIVABLES		-					-	-	20,495
LOANS AND ADVANCES		-					-	-	
SALE OF ASSETS		-					-	-	115,828
OTHER RECEIPTS [3]	317						317	250	68,883
TRANSFERS (FROM DIP ACCTS)							-	-	
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 317	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 317	\$ 250	\$ 288,593
DISBURSEMENTS									
ADVERTISING		-					-	-	3,223
MERCHANDISE (INCLUDING FREIGHT)		-					-	-	53,228
RENT [4]	155						155	81	14,229
PAYROLL, PAYROLL TAXES, AND BENEFITS	82						82	67	50,704
UTILITIES	24						24	14	4,699
INSURANCE		-					-	20	1,098
SALES AND OTHER TAXES [5]	89						89	48	32,973
GENERAL OPERATING	21						21	27	8,669
FINLAY LICENSE		-					-	-	11,814
FINANCING EXPENSES		-					-	-	3,524
PROFESSIONAL FEES	614						614	250	15,177
OTHER		-					-	-	7,671
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 985	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 985	\$ 507	\$ 207,009
DRAW ON LC		-					-	-	4,648
ADJUSTMENTS		-					-	-	2,522
NET CASH FLOW	\$ (668)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (668)	\$ (257)	\$ 79,458
(RECEIPTS LESS DISBURSEMENTS)									
CASH (LOAN BALANCE)- END OF MONTH	\$ 10,366	\$ -	\$ 281	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,647	\$ 8,119	\$ 10,647

[1] The cash balances and activity on this schedule represents the following balance sheet items: Unrestricted Cash and Cash Equivalents, Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents, and Revolver Line of Credit. The balance of the revolver line of credit as of 4/3/10 was \$0.

[2] 'Projected' amounts reflect projections per the winddown budget.

[3] Other Receipts include \$223K received from the IRS for Net Operating Loss Carryback refunds, \$64K in refunds of credit card company holdbacks, and \$20K insurance deposit refund.

[4] Due to the 5-week fiscal month, two months of rent payments cleared in fiscal March.

[5] Includes the payment of property taxes for the corporate office building.

SCHEDULE OF PROFESSIONAL FEES AND EXPENSES PAID								
This schedule is to include all retained professional payments from case inception to current month.								
(Actual \$)								
PAYEE	PERIOD COVERED	DATE OF COURT ORDER AUTHORIZING PAYMENT	AMOUNT APPROVED	AMOUNT PAID		TOTAL PAID TO DATE		TOTAL INCURRED AND UNPAID
				FEES	EXPENSES	FEES	EXPENSES	
O'Melveny & Meyers	1/31/10 to 2/27/10	3/3/2010	221,472	219,567	1,905	4,572,945	118,867	821,890
FTI Consulting	1/31/10 to 2/27/10	3/8/2010	80,430	80,430	-	2,775,212	132,406	33,502
Richards, Layton & Finger	1/31/10 to 2/27/10	2/25/2010	20,161	17,860	2,301	757,864	58,149	58,834
Kurtzman Carson Consultants	1/31/10 to 2/27/10	n/a	n/a	106,817	87,772	1,017,316	87,772	-
Cooley Godward Kronish	1/31/10 to 2/27/10	2/15/2010	31,270	30,710	560	582,780	15,292	93,688
Loughlin Meghji & Company	1/31/10 to 2/27/10	3/22/2010	50,790	50,772	18	659,819	774	120,747
Benesch	1/31/10 to 2/27/10	2/16/2010	7,741	7,283	458	137,355	2,633	13,540
GE Capital Third Party Legal [1]	1/31/10 to 2/27/10	n/a	n/a			578,731	5,505	-
Financial Dynamics	1/31/10 to 2/27/10					29,377	-	-
Other	1/31/10 to 2/27/10	2/24, 3/8	10,411	10,180	231	137,467	507	15,296
TOTAL PAYMENTS TO PROFESSIONALS			\$ 422,275	\$ 523,619	\$ 93,245	\$ 11,248,866	\$ 421,905	\$ 1,157,497

[1] Amounts paid to GE Capital's legal advisors represent disbursements related to advisory work on the Credit Agreement.

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STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS - Income Statement

The Statement of Operations is to be prepared on an accrual basis. The accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenue when it is realized and expenses when they are incurred, regardless of when cash is actually received or paid.

REVENUES	Month (\$ in 000's)	Cumulative Filing to Date (\$ in 000's)
Net Sales	-	93,101
Net Leased Department Revenue	-	1,791
Net Credit Revenue	-	1,758
Total Revenues	-	96,650
COST OF GOODS SOLD		
Cost of Goods Sold	-	73,936
Gross Profit	-	22,714
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Advertising	-	2,108
Bad Debts	-	61
Contributions	-	9
Employee Benefits Programs	8	2,343
Insider Compensation	56	1,191
Insurance	15	1,352
Repairs and Maintenance	4	1,445
Rent and Lease Expense	80	4,484
Salaries/Commissions/Fees	28	21,604
Supplies	-	1,920
Taxes	45	3,745
Travel and Entertainment	-	132
Utilities	9	1,643
Other (attach schedule)	26	92,372
Total Operating Expenses Before Depreciation	271	134,409
Depreciation/Depletion/Amortization	26	5,384
Net Profit (Loss) Before Other Income & Expenses	(297)	(117,079)
OTHER INCOME AND EXPENSES		
Other Income (attach schedule)	(22)	(4,166)
Interest Expense	-	1,655
Net Profit (Loss) Before Reorganization Items	(275)	(114,568)
REORGANIZATION ITEMS		
Professional Fees	1,283	12,847
U. S. Trustee Quarterly Fees	10	90
Other Reorganization Expenses (attach schedule)	-	2,809
Total Reorganization Expenses	1,293	15,746
Income Taxes	-	76
Net Profit (Loss)	\$ (1,568)	\$ (130,390)

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STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS - continuation sheet

BREAKDOWN OF "OTHER" CATEGORY		Cumulative
	Month (\$ in 000s)	Filing to Date (\$ in 000s)
Other Operational Expenses		
Services Purchased	18	5,616
Unclassified	0	(1,115)
Communications	2	662
Postage	0	223
Professional Fees	6	(4)
Costs capitalized under Uniform Capitalization Rules [1]	0	(1,099)
Gain on Sale of Assets	0	88,045
Store Closure Costs	0	44
Total Other Operational Expenses	26	92,372
Other Income		
Rental income	(6)	(120)
Miscellaneous income	(16)	(4,046)
Total Other Income	(22)	(4,166)
Other Reorganization Expenses		
Amortization of DIP loan fees	0	2,809
Total Other Reorganization Expenses	0	2,809

[1] Uniform Capitalization Rules require capitalization of certain indirect buying, handling and distribution costs to align these costs with the related sales.

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BALANCE SHEET

The Balance Sheet is to be completed on an accrual basis only. Pre-petition liabilities must be classified separately from postpetition obligations.

ASSETS	BOOK VALUE AT END OF CURRENT REPORTING MONTH (\$ in 000's)	BOOK VALUE PETITION DATE (\$ in 000's)
CURRENT ASSETS		
Unrestricted Cash and Equivalents	\$ 10,294	\$ 7,408
Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents [1]	281	-
Accounts Receivable (Net)	2,890	2,944
Inventories	-	126,552
Prepaid Expenses (attach schedule)	1,890	3,849
Professional Retainers	320	493
Other Current Assets (attach schedule)	6,676	8,216
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	\$ 22,351	\$ 149,462
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT		
Real Property and Improvements	11,810	60,652
Machinery and Equipment	-	61,313
Furniture, Fixtures and Office Equipment	6	89,942
Leasehold Improvements	4,133	65,463
Vehicles	-	420
Construction in progress	-	2,187
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(5,128)	(151,228)
TOTAL PROPERTY & EQUIPMENT	\$ 10,821	\$ 128,749
OTHER ASSETS		
Loans to Insiders	-	-
Other Assets (attach schedule)	2,831	5,166
TOTAL OTHER ASSETS	\$ 2,831	\$ 5,166
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 36,003	\$ 283,377
LIABILITIES AND OWNER EQUITY		
LIABILITIES NOT SUBJECT TO COMPROMISE (Postpetition)		
Accounts Payable	25	
Taxes Payable (refer to FORM MOR-4)	949	
Wages Payable	6	
Rent / Leases - Building/Equipment	1,289	
Secured Debt / Adequate Protection Payments	-	
Professional Fees	1,157	
Amounts Due to Insiders	11	
Other Postpetition Liabilities (attach schedule)	19,853	
TOTAL POSTPETITION LIABILITIES	\$ 23,290	-
LIABILITIES SUBJECT TO COMPROMISE (Pre-Petition)		
Secured Debt	990	76,069
Priority Debt	-	37
Unsecured Debt	53,116	54,533
Other Pre-petition Liabilities (attach schedule)	351	64,099
TOTAL PRE-PETITION LIABILITIES	\$ 54,457	194,738
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 77,747	194,738
OWNER EQUITY		
Capital Stock	137	137
Additional Paid-In Capital	78,007	78,002
Retained Earnings - Pre-Petition	11,987	11,987
Retained Earnings - Postpetition	(130,388)	
Adjustments to Owner Equity (attach schedule)	(1,487)	(1,487)
NET OWNER EQUITY	(41,744)	88,639
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND OWNERS' EQUITY	\$ 36,003	\$ 283,377

[1] Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents represents cash held in a separate account for utility adequate assurance.

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Prepaid Expenses			
	Prepaid insurance	122	1,167
	Workers compensation prepaid	1,739	889
	Prepaid advertising	-	219
	Prepaid health and other	29	122
	Prepaid rent	-	-
	Prepaid expenses	-	1,094
	Prepaid property taxes	-	358
	Total Prepaid Expenses	1,890	3,849
Other Current Assets			
	Supplies	-	1,534
	Workers compensation reserves	6,118	6,118
	Deferred loan fees	-	4
	Other receivables	558	373
	Salary support receivable	-	184
	Other	-	3
	Total Other Current Assets	6,676	8,216
Other Assets			
	Intangibles - lease rights	-	813
	Investment in partnership	1,861	1,810
	Deposits	970	-
	Straightline lease	-	2,543
	Prepaid rent	-	-
	Total Other Assets	2,831	5,166
LIABILITIES AND OWNER EQUITY		BOOK VALUE AT END OF CURRENT REPORTING MONTH	BOOK VALUE PETITION DATE
Other Postpetition Prepetition Liabilities			
	Other Postpetition Liabilities		
	Accrued expenses	2,866	
	Gift and merchandise cards	3,595	
	Vacation payable	28	
	Payroll deductions payable	-	
	Sales return reserve	-	
	Workers compensation insurance reserves	6,118	
	Other insurance reserves	329	
	Deferred revenue	2,173	
	Deferred rent	-	
	Intangibles - lease rights	-	
	Fin 48 liability	1,008	
	Deferred taxes	3,736	
	Capital leases	-	
	Total Other Postpetition Liabilities	19,853	
	Other Prepetition Liabilities		
	Accrued expenses		5,162
	Gift and merchandise cards		7,738
	Sales and payroll taxes payable		10,495
	Wages payable		2,030
	Vacation payable	25	2,990
	Payroll deductions payable		304
	Accrued accounting fees	209	520
	Pension liability	97	97
	Other accruals prepetition	20	599
	Store party fund	-	63
	Vendor supported events	-	220
	Sales return reserve		1,663
	Workers compensation insurance reserves		6,118
	Other insurance reserves		259
	Deferred revenue		6,699
	Deferred rent		5,466
	Intangibles - lease rights		208
	Fin 48 liability		1,008
	Deferred taxes		3,512
	Capital leases		8,948
	Total Other Prepetition Liabilities	351	64,099
Adjustments to Owner Equity			
	Treasury stock	(1,487)	(1,487)
	[1] Represents reserves that are reevaluated on a quarterly basis.		
	[2] Represents employee programs that were continued postpetition per Court order.		

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STATUS OF POSTPETITION TAXES

The beginning tax liability should be the ending liability from the prior month or, if this is the first report, the amount should be zero.

Attach photocopies of IRS Form 6123 or payment receipt to verify payment or deposit of federal payroll taxes.

Attach photocopies of any tax returns filed during the reporting period.

(Actual \$)

	Beginning Tax Liability	Amount Withheld or Accrued	Amount Paid	Ending Tax Liability
Federal				
Withholding	6,911	13,940	(13,940)	6,911
FICA	5,145	10,354	(10,354)	5,145
Unemployment	422	-	-	422
Total Federal Taxes	\$ 12,478	\$ 24,294	\$ (24,294)	\$ 12,478
State and Local				
Withholding	2,852	5,610	(5,753)	2,709
Sales & Excise	-	-	-	-
Unemployment	2,054	-	-	2,054
Real Property	481,247	42,165	(106,082)	417,330
Personal Property ^[1]	514,098	-	-	514,098
Workers Compensation	-	-	-	-
Other: Local	-	-	-	-
Total State and Local	1,000,251	47,775	(111,835)	936,192
Total Taxes	\$ 1,012,729	\$ 72,069	\$ (136,129)	\$ 948,670

^[1] Personal Property Taxes are paid on an annual basis.

* Copies of tax returns are available upon request.

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Attach aged listing of accounts payable.

Note: The Company does not analyze or prepare the aging of its accounts payable.

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ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE AGING

Accounts Receivable Aging	Amount
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Note: The Company does not analyze or prepare the aging of its accounts receivable.

DEBTOR QUESTIONNAIRE

Must be completed each month	Yes	No
1. Have any assets been sold or transferred outside the normal course of business this reporting period? If yes, provide an explanation below.		X
2. Have any funds been disbursed from any account other than a debtor in possession account this reporting period? If yes, provide an explanation below.		X
3. Have all postpetition tax returns been timely filed? If no, provide an explanation below.	X	
4. Are workers compensation, general liability and other necessary insurance coverages in effect? If no, provide an explanation below.	X	
5. Has any bank account been opened during the reporting period? If yes, provide documentation identifying the opened account(s). If an investment account has been opened provide the required documentation pursuant to the Delaware Local Rule 4001-3.		X